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TOPIC Ordnance Depot in the MOEGELIN Arado Plant

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REMARKS

25X1 Sixteen 76.2-mm guns and 20 limbers were loaded on a train in the Arado branch plant, about 1,600 feet north of MOEGELIN (N 53°2' 05"), The guns and limbers seemed to be new. The shipment, escorted by 15 to 20 soldiers wearing red capulets, was dispatched to RATHENOW (N 53°2' 15") the same day and trans-shipped from there to an unidentified destination the next night. No Germans were employed in the depot, in which guns and ammunition were said to be stored. Truck  allegedly used for shuttle traffic to RATHENOW, was parked in front of the depot entrance.

25X1  Comment:

25X1 The report confirms the MOEGELIN ordnance depot  which is believed to belong to the Third Shock Army.

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